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Reply to Office Action of December 29, 2003

Amendment to the Specification:

Please amend the paragraph beginning on page 15, line 3 to read as follows:

"In the claims which follow the ratios are expressed as weight of glucosamine per sematerial, calculated and reported in the following examples based on an equivalent amount glucosamine sulfate, to weight of analgesic unless explicitly stated otherwise."